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25. The method of claim 19 wherein the determining of the locations determines locations that correspond to unique individuals.

26. The method of claim 19 wherein the determining of the locations determines locations that correspond to unique addresses.

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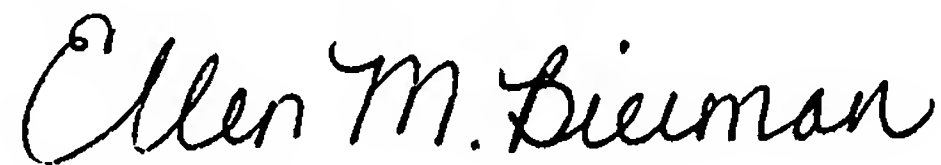
Claims 1-50 are pending. Claims 20, 21, and 23-26 have been amended to correct errors in dependency. No new matter has been added by way of this Amendment. Applicants request entry of this Preliminary Amendment before examination of the application.

Attached hereto is a marked-up version of the changes made to the specification and claims by the current amendment. The attached page is captioned "**Version With Markings to Show Changes Made.**"

Respectfully submitted,

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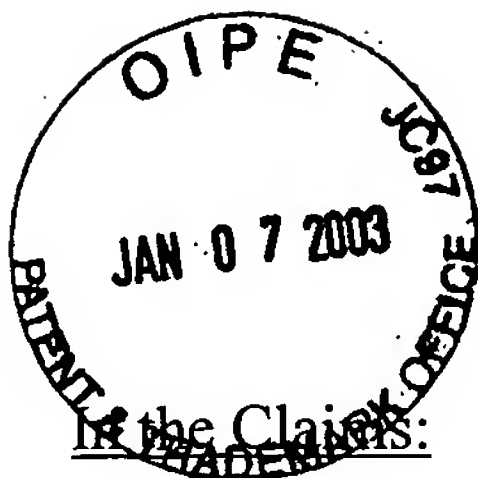
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Claims 20, 21, and 23-26 have been amended as follows:

20. The method of claim ~~20~~19 wherein the automatically determined locations are used in a direct mailing process.

21. The method of claim ~~20~~19 wherein the object is a marketing tool.

23. The method of claim ~~20~~19 wherein the object is a product.

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